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PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE AGREEMENT

For value received, and in consideration of, and in order to induce the United States (the Government) to enter into Contract DE-AC07-99ID13727 for the Management and Operation of the Idaho National Engineering and Environmental Laboratory by and between the Government and Bechtel B&W Idaho, LLC (Contractor), the undersigned, Bechtel National, Inc. (also the Guarantor), a corporation established in the State of Nevada with its principal place of business at 45 Fremont Street, San Francisco, CA 94105 hereby unconditionally guarantees to the Government (a) the full and prompt payment and performance of all obligations, accrued and executory, which Contractor presently or hereafter may have to the Government under the Contract, and (b) the full and prompt payment and performance by Contractor of all other obligations and liabilities of Contractor to the Government, fixed or contingent, due or to become due, direct or indirect, now existing or hereafter and howsoever arising or incurred under the Contract, and Guarantor further agrees to indemnify the Government against any losses the Government may sustain and expenses it may incur as a result of the enforcement or attempted enforcement by the Government of any of its rights and remedies under the Contract, in the event of a default by Contractor thereunder, and/or as a result of the enforcement or attempted enforcement by the Government of any of its rights against Guarantor hereunder.

Guarantor has read and consents to the signing of the Contract. Guarantor further agrees that Contractor shall have the full right, without any notice to or consent from Guarantor, to make any and all modifications or amendments to the Contract without affecting, impairing, or discharging, in whole or in part, the liability of Guarantor hereunder.

Guarantor hereby expressly waives all defenses which might constitute a legal or equitable discharge of a surety or guarantor, and agrees that this Performance Guarantee Agreement shall be valid and unconditionally binding upon Guarantor regardless of (i) the reorganization, merger, or consolidation of Contractor into or with another entity, corporate or otherwise, or the liquidation or dissolution of Contractor, or the sale or other disposition of all or substantially all of the capital stock, business or assets of Contractor to any other person or party, or (ii) the institution of any bankruptcy, reorganization, insolvency, debt agreement, or receivership proceedings by or against Contractor, or adjudication of Contractor as a bankrupt, or (iii) the assertion by the Government against Contractor of any of the Government's rights and remedies provided for under the Contract, including any modifications or amendments thereto, or under any other document(s) or instrument(s) executed by Contractor, or existing in the Government's favor in law, equity, or bankruptcy.

Guarantor further agrees that its liability under this Performance Guarantee Agreement shall be continuing, absolute, primary, and direct, and that the Government shall not be required to pursue any right or remedy it may have against Contractor or other Guarantors under the Contract, or any modifications or amendments thereto, or any other document(s) or instrument(s) executed by Contractor, or otherwise. Guarantor affirms that the Government shall not be required to first commence any action or obtain any judgment against Contractor before enforcing this Performance Guarantee Agreement against Guarantor, and that Guarantor will, upon demand, pay the Government any amount, the payment of which is guaranteed hereunder and the payment of which by Contractor is in default under the Contract or under any other document(s) or instrument(s) executed by Contractor as aforesaid, and that Guarantor will, upon demand, perform all other obligations of Contractor, the performance of which by Contractor is guaranteed hereunder.

Guarantor agrees to assure that it shall cause this Performance Guarantee Agreement to be unconditionally binding upon any successor(s) to its interests regardless of (i) the reorganization, merger, or consolidation of Guarantor into or with another entity, corporate or otherwise, or the liquidation or dissolution of Guarantor, or the sale or other disposition of all or substantially all of the capital stock,

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business, or assets of Guarantor to any other person or party, or (ii) the institution of any bankruptcy, reorganization, insolvency, debt agreement, or receivership proceedings by or against Guarantor, or adjudication of Guarantor as a bankrupt.

Guarantor further warrants and represents to the Government that the execution and delivery of this Performance Guarantee Agreement is not in contravention of Guarantor's Articles of Organization, Charter, by-laws, and applicable law; that the execution and delivery of this Performance Guarantee Agreement, and the performance thereof, has been duly authorized by the Guarantor's Board of Directors, Trustees, or any other management board which is required to participate in such decisions; and that the execution, delivery, and performance of this Performance Guarantee Agreement will not result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any loan agreement, indenture, or contract to which Guarantor is a party or by or under which it is bound.

No express or implied provision, warranty, representation or term of this Performance Guarantee Agreement is intended, or is to be construed, to confer upon any third person(s) any rights or remedies whatsoever, except as expressly provided in this Performance Guarantee Agreement.

In witness thereof, Guarantor has caused this Performance Guarantee Agreement to be executed by its duly authorized official (and in the case of a corporation its corporate seal to be affixed hereto) on

BECHTEL NATIONAL, INC.

(original signature on file at DOE-ID)

Lee A. McIntire, President
EXECUTING PERFORMANCE
GUARANTEE AGREEMENT ON BEHALF OF
GUARANTOR

ATTESTATION INCLUDING APPLICATION
OF SEAL BY AN OFFICIAL OF
GUARANTOR AUTHORIZED TO AFFIX
CORPORATE SEAL

(Corporate Seal Placed Here)

Original acknowledged on March 17, 1999 by:

*Norma B. Santos
Notary Public – California
Comm. # 1059532
San Francisco County
Comm. Expires June 14, 1999*

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In witness thereof, Guarantor has caused this Performance Guarantee Agreement to be executed by its duly authorized official (and in the case of a corporation its corporate seal to be affixed hereto) on 18 March, 1999.

NAME OF GUARANTOR

BWX Technologies, Inc.

(Corporate Seal Placed Here)

(original signature on file at DOE-ID)
John A. Fees, Vice President/General Manager
EXECUTING PERFORMANCE
GUARANTEE AGREEMENT ON BEHALF OF
GUARANTOR

ATTESTATION INCLUDING APPLICATION
OF SEAL BY AN OFFICIAL OF
GUARANTOR AUTHORIZED TO AFFIX
CORPORATE SEAL

Original acknowledged on March 18, 1999 by:

*Sabra W. Parish
Notary Public
State of Tennessee
County of Anderson
Comm. Expires June 02, 2001*

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Inland Northwest Research Alliance

Robert A. Hoover, Chair
EXECUTING PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE
AGREEMENT ON BEHALF OF GUARANTOR

I CERTIFY that the entries made by me above are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and are made in good faith.

(original signature on file at DOE-ID)

Robert A. Hoover, Chair
Inland Northwest Research Alliance

I, Michael P. Malone, certify that I am the Vice Chair of the corporation named as Contractor herein; that Robert A. Hoover who signed this certificate on behalf of the Contractor, was then Chair of said corporation; that said certificate was duly signed for and in behalf of said corporation by authority of its governing body, and is within the scope of its corporate powers.

(original signature on file at DOE-ID)

Corporation Has No Seal
(Corporate Seal)

Michael P. Malone, Vice Chair
Inland Northwest Research Alliance